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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of)
Michael Gerard Tovey) Parent Application:
For: "Stimulation of Host Defense Mechanisms)
Against Viral Challenges") Serial No.: 08/853,292
Filed: Herewith) Filed: May 9, 1997
Docket No.: 23164-1003) Examiner: Fitzgerald, D.
) Group Art Unit: 1646
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION (CPA) REQUEST TRANSMITTAL

This is a request for filing a [X] continuation or [] divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(d) of prior application:

Application No: 08/853,292

Filed: May 09, 1997

Inventor: Michael Gerard Tovey

Title: "STIMULATION OF HOST DEFENSE MECHANISMS AGAINST VIRAL CHALLENGES"

Total Pages: 24

Included herewith are the following papers and related instructions:

- [] Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) (37 CFR 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98)
[] Copies of the IDS citations are enclosed.

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☐ Please use the IDS from the prior application. The references were previously cited by or submitted to the PTO in the prior application that is identified in the statement.

☒ Preliminary Amendment

☐ Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on _____ under 37 CFR 1.116 in the prior application.

☒ Return postcard

☐ Please delete the name(s) of the following person(s) named as inventor(s) in the prior application:

☐ A new power of attorney or authorization of agent (PTO/SB/81) is enclosed.

☐ Small entity status:

☐ A small entity statement is enclosed.

☐ A small entity statement was filed in the prior nonprovisional application and such status is still proper and desired.

☐ Is no longer claimed.

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☐ The prior application is assigned to _____.

☐ Petition For Extension Of Time Filed In Parent Application (if this box is checked)

A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) is being filed under separate cover in parent application Serial No. _____, maintaining co-pendency for the present application.

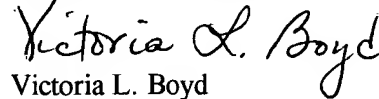
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The required fee is calculated below:

Basic Filing Fee:	\$760.00
Independent claims: <u>3</u> (= <u>0</u> @ \$78 each)	0.00
Total claims: <u>17</u> (= <u>0</u> @ \$18 each)	0.00
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TOTAL FEE DUE:.....	<u>\$ 760.00</u>

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Respectfully submitted,



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